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Group Art Unit: 2858  
Title: HIGH VOLTAGE INTERFACE MODULE

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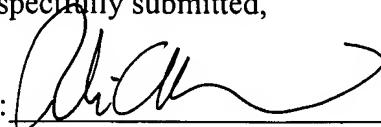
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Should the Examiner have any questions or desire further clarification, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the number listed below. Please reference Attorney Docket No. 1017.P075US.

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